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Memory Device Using Shortened Precharge Phase

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Submitted herewith is an Amendment and Response to Office Action relating to the above-identified patent application. There is no additional claim fee due in conjunction with the Amendment.

In the event of any non-payment or improper payment of a required fee, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge or to credit Deposit Account No. 50-0762 as required to correct the error. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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Sir:

In response to the outstanding Office Action, dated December 5, 2005, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: